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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application : Tim Wilhelm Nattkemper et al.
 Application No. : 09/869,638
 Filed : February 8, 2002
 Confirmation No. : 5891
 For : METHOD FOR THE AUTOMATIC ANALYSIS OF
 MICROSCOPE IMAGES
 Examiner : Lavin, Christopher L.
 Attorney's Docket : MULL-021XX

TC Art Unit: 2624

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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114

VIA FACSIMILE
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
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Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination of the above-
 identified application. Authorization is provided herewith to
 charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$395.00)
 per §1.17(e).

[] Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on _____
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Transmitted herewith are the following:

- ☒ [X] Amendment/Reply
- ☐ [] Affidavit/Declaration
- ☐ [] Information Disclosure Statement
- ☐ [] A Petition for Extension of Time for ____ month(s) is hereby made, under provisions of §1.136(a); authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 in the amount of (\$_____) for the cost of same
- ☐ [] Other: _____

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REMARKS

The Examiner is encouraged to telephone the undersigned attorney to discuss any matter that would expedite allowance of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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